

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION III

1650 Arch Street Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103-2029

VIA UPS

Mr. Ron Dandrea President Bedford Materials Company, Inc. 7676 Allegheny Road Manns Choice, PA 15550

Re: Notice of Violation Response

Compliance Evaluation Inspection

August 25, 2014

EPA ID No. PAD057631889

Dear Mr. Dandrea:

On September 16, 2015, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III ("EPA") issued a Notice of Violation ("NOV") to Bedford Materials Company, Inc. ("Bedford" or "Facility") in regards to the Compliance Evaluation Inspection ("CEI") that occurred on August 25, 2014. The NOV addressed several issues, including the labeling of satellite accumulation containers.

Docket Number: R3-15-NOV-RCRA-036

On October 6, 2015, you submitted a response to this NOV. In your response, regarding Violation #1, the following procedure was described for the satellite accumulation containers:

"Residual from coatings used at Bedford can stick to the buckets. The coatings are like paint that as they dry, lose the characteristics that regulate them as a hazardous material."

This procedure, in and of itself, is not a violation, but can lead to possible violations if the containers are not empty according to the federal regulations. Please refer to 40 CFR §261.7, for guidance on what is considered RCRA empty.

Thank you for following up with the EPA in a timely manner after receiving the NOV. A response to this correspondence is not required. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the EPA. Any response to this matter can be addressed to:

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Sincerely,

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Land and Chemicals Division Office of Land Enforcement Date 10/26/15

Enclosure

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